

SCOTT COUNTY KICKER.

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SPEAKER'S DATES

A. Q. Miller, the Socialist nominee for prosecuting attorney, will speak at
Crowder, Thursday, September 6, at 8 P. M.
Vanduser, Friday, September 7, at 8 P. M.
Baker School House, Friday, September 8, at 8 P. M.
Sikeston, Saturday, September 10, at 2:30 and 8 P. M.
Blodgett, Thursday, September 15, at 8 P. M.
Oak Grove, Friday, September 16, at 8 P. M.
Diehlstadt, Saturday, September 17, at 2:30 P. M.
Lusk, Saturday, September 17, at 8 P. M.

COUNTY COURT.

The appropriation machine got busy Tuesday and ground out the following allowances:
Joe Utage, overseer, \$221.90; Leo Diebold, repairs, \$25.80; W. R. Beardsley, overseer, \$185.75; John D. Steel, overseer, \$867.30; Baker Mfg. Co., two scrapers, \$74.31; J. E. Egan, engineer, \$80.87; J. D. Rogers, assessor, \$88.75; Joe Kiefer, levee work, \$254.50; Small Bros., ditch work, \$772.40; Joe Hutchason, overseer, \$94.80; Joe Patterson, road work, \$312.13; Dick Williams, hauling, \$13.50; B. H. Smith, school commissioner, \$88.30; Charles Bertrand, work on engine, \$4.50; W. C. Cleaver, freight, \$17.19; C. A. Russell, waiting on election judges, \$2.50; J. S. Norrid, cost in criminal cases, \$298.85; C. W. Becker and son, drainage work, \$584.45; Joe Myers, Matt Thomas, J. D. Rodgers and J. E. Warner, \$5 each as members of board of equalization.
\$125 loaned to Wm. Span.
J. J. Polen appointed constable Richland township, vice C. A. Russell resigned.
Arthur Clymer admitted to the State Sanatorium.
J. L. Sweezy granted license to run skiff ferry from Graysboro to Thebes.
\$110 donated to Sikeston Fair.

STILL THEY COME

While May, June and July are always the dull months, August begins to show signs of improvement. The following subscriptions were received:
Oran—Tony Williams, Chas. Burger, J. F. Scherer, Oswald Kappeler, R. C. Schott, Andy Club, J. H. McLean, Mrs. Joe Walter, George Stehr and John Hofer.
Illmo—Frank Graesser, Jas. Upshaw, Joe Miller, Lee Barnes, Wm. Uelsman, J. A. Murchason, W. Kirkendall, J. L. Sweezy, Henry Roth, Philip Reubel, John Reed, R. C. Pate, G. A. Storm, Geo. D. Wolfe, Grant Wolfe, J. B. Barnett, C. Mathis, J. D. Rose.
Commerce—B. F. Rasberry, T. A. Matthews, August Weber, Otto Mertz, M. F. Ross, C. H. Heuchan, Taylor Robertson, Jake Wilkins.

Benton—Fred Abbot, Geo. Welker, W. H. Heisserer, Jap. Simmons, Henry Lofton, Josh. French, J. P. Norrid, Jas. Foster, R. G. Williams, J. W. Baty, C. H. Cannon, Bleda—Mike Robst, John Robst, Nick Schitter, Andy Robst, Blodgett—Joe Ware, W. A. Dodson, John James.
Morley—J. F. Thompson, A. P. Carter, T. A. Cooper, C. M. Lancaster.
Rockview—Wm. Scherer, J. H. Engel, R. E. Belk.
Sikeston—E. A. Dodson, T. M. Boardman, Wm. Pack.
Perkins—Louis Gangle.
Fornfelt—J. S. Kneezle.
Kelso—John Compas.
Vanduser—Noah Wallace.
Chaffee—S. E. Lewis, J. V. Bady, Monett, Ark.—J. D. Francis, T. B. Wright.
Portageville—Chas. L. Proffit, Carl Knecht, Poplar Bluff, J. F. Young, Dexter, Albert Post, Altonville, T. C. Adams, Booneville, T. J. Twitty, Paddy, Mo.; Noah Dickson, Egbert, A. C. Hervey, Hickory Ridge; Antoine Strack, Jonesboro, Ark. Wm. Harvel, Delia; J. H. Hampton, Equality, Ill. Maggie Vinard, Mt. Pleasant.

For the first week in September the following subscriptions were received:
Fornfelt—L. J. Drury, Fritz Sandvoss, John Schlegel, Roy Sibley, J. F. New, Frank Hahn.
Illmo—W. Angler, J. W. Vittitow, Benton—John Hollinger, Miss Julia Wade.
Commerce—John Ledure, Frk. Arnold.
Jacob Upham, New Hamburg; G. E. Jacobs, Morley; N. G. Hoppen, Sikeston; Jake Glover, Sikeston; H. C. Irvin, Bensville; John Hall, Bertrand; U. S. Barnsley, Monett; C. N. Cash, Naylor; Ed. Brown, Murphysboro, Ill.

Push the Kicker. Enough of it means a Socialist victory here.

PUBLIC SALE.

I will sell, on Monday, Sept. 12, at my home, three-fourths miles southeast of McMullin, six work mules, a mare and colt, a horse, two milch cows with calves, a Jersey bull, two yearlings, 35 shoots, four sows, two binders, two 4-horse wheel drills, two section harrows, two disc harrows, a check-rower, a mower hay-rake four riding plows, four cultivators, two wagons, a buggy and many other articles.
Terms—\$5 and under, cash; over \$5 a credit of 12 months will be given, purchaser giving 6 percent note from date with approved security. JOHN WELTER.

HALTER BROS. MEAT MARKET

ORAN, MO.
Fresh meat and everything usually kept in a first-class meat market always on hand. You can send a child and we guarantee fair treatment. If you have cattle, hogs or sheep, see us before selling. We want your butter and eggs. In the Harper Building.

HALTER BROS., ORAN.

A DIFFERENCE OF ABODE.

Poplar Bluff may properly be called the industrial center of Southeast Missouri. There are a few very rich people and many very poor. The city can boast of one of the finest churches in this end of the state. It is the Christian church and cost \$35,000—enough to buy 85 families a small farm each.
A minister and a workman were passing this church when the minister said proudly, "That is a magnificent Temple of God." The workman viewed the building critically and ventured, "Is that where God lives?"
"Yes," replied the minister in pious reverence, "that is where God lives."
"Well," said the workman as he took his eyes from the magnificent structure, "if you will go with me down here to the alley I will show you where some of God's children live."
The minister had no more to say.
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HERE AND YONDER.

Jas. M. Evans, on Dr. Haws place, has advertised his personal property to sell September 20 and will return to Kentucky. "No chance to get a home here." Farmers of adjoining states are induced to come here by the agents of the landlords, who picture a land of milk and honey. A few years trial convinces these farmers that they have been burred, and they either return to their original home, or move on.
The Socialists of Scott county have adopted a platform so that the people may know what to expect in case they place the Socialists in control. The old parties seem to have nothing to offer except what you have been getting. For more than six months the Republicans have had an organ in the county. It has no fault to find with local affairs. Not one word of criticism has appeared.
J. T. Swan died at his home, in Morley, Sunday morning, of apoplexy, aged 50 years. He was dressing and had his shirt partly over his head when he fell to the floor. He leaves a wife, a grown son and married daughter—Mrs. Deventer Miller.
Dental—Mouths with decayed and diseased teeth are cess pools. You can expect health in this condition exists. Dr. Williams, who is now at Commerce, will correct this condition. He extracts teeth without pain.
Al Hink, of Gordonville, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. R. M. Timmerstein, the past week. Miss Nellie Brandt, of Cape county, who visited Miss Norma Timmerstein, returned home Tuesday.
And now comes the report that Earle Slinkard, the Socialist candidate for recorder, has taken to the "soap box." He is reported to have made speeches at Bleda and Oran. Good!

For School—Teacher of the Canham-Foster school below Commerce, was here Wednesday and reported an epidemic of typhoid fever in that community.
T. J. Chewing and family, of Sandyswoods, spent Saturday night with relatives in Oran. Tom dropped a fine watermelon at the Kicker office.
Of course you want Socialism to grow. Well, then, get right after that neighbor who is not a subscriber to the Kicker.
For School—Newcomb fly-shuttle carpet loom in good order at a reasonable price. Mrs. Louis Gangle, Perkins, Mo.
After an extended visit to her mother, Mrs. J. S. Freeling, Mrs. Patie Nelson returned to St. Louis Saturday.
Mrs. Louis Gangle, of Perkins, spent a few days among relatives here last week.
Foot Sale—Good seed wheat. Apply to J. D. Green, Blodgett.

Hiram and Charley Slinkard, of Chaffee, were here Wednesday. Subscribe for the Kicker.

FROM NEW HAMBURG.

It was a real good crowd that turned out to hear Mr. Miller, the Socialist speaker, Saturday evening. Somehow, those nice men who are so dead sure there is nothing to Socialism, and that it "won't work" were not on hand to corner the speaker and show him the fallacy of it all.
Saturday Phil Harness was seen going straight across the fence and over a barbed wire fence to dinner. When asked to explain he said, "Gosh, I've got a bran new cook and she won't wait a minute."
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Russell and Mrs. Mary Russell and children, of Kelso, attended church here Sunday and spent the evening with the family of Lawrence Diebold at Benton.
Mr. and Mrs. Jake Koelz, of Sals Creek, visited the family of George Dumey Sunday, and Mr. and Mrs. Lieble visited the family of Louis Goetz.

There was a big crowd at the dance at Sike's hall Monday night. John always maintains good order.
Frank Kuhn, of Texarkana, Ark., has joined his wife and children who have been here on a visit. He will spend a few days' vacation here.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kuhn and children visited the family of Mike Schoen at Chaffee Monday. The infant of Dr. and Mrs. Schindler was buried here Sunday.

School opened here Monday with a good attendance. Frank Scherer entertained a number of friends Sunday. Arthur Vetter returned from St. Louis Sunday to stay. Miss Emma Miederhoff left for Joliet, Illinois Sunday.

August Klaus is building an addition to his barn.
Andy Hahn moved his family here Monday.
Subscribe for the great Kicker! Frank Bles is building a barn for John Kern.
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FROM OAK GROVE.

The Oak Grove Farmer's Union will meet Saturday night, September 10. All members try to be present.
Mr. Mackley and family spent Sunday with his son-in-law, Will Watson, near Benton Sunday.
R. A. Sparks is having some new buildings put up on his land near Porter Switch.
The Oak Grove school commenced Monday with Miss Mable Ward as teacher.
Ed Felty and family returned home Saturday after a week's visit at Annsburg.
We learn that Jno. Collins is going to put in a telephone.
H. Coley and family are gone to Illinois for a short visit.
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FROM HEAD DISTRICT.

The Mission Feast at the Lutheran Church Sunday was well attended. Rev. Schafer, of Tiliat, delivered a sermon in German in the forenoon and Rev. Meyer, of Egypt Mills in English in the afternoon. At the beginning of his sermon Rev. Meyer gave us pure and undiluted Socialism. You can't make him believe there are no classes. Rev. Hilbert, the local pastor, lectured on the Mission work the Lutherans were doing in East India.

Henry Roth has purchased a new organ. He doesn't like the idea of having to do so much pumping to get wind and is figuring on buying a cheap lawyer.

Misses Emilie Albrecht and August Roth will leave next week for Valparaiso, Indiana, where they will take a course in music at the university.

Mrs. Broegmeyer, of East St. Louis, is visiting her brothers, Theo. and Paul Horn at Illmo and spent Tuesday with the family of Judge Albrecht.

Robt. Taylor, Earn Daugherty and Henry Roth attended the Socialist meeting at Morley Saturday on a dreppot a good attendance.

Misses Martha and Edna Roth returned last Saturday from a five weeks visit to relatives in Crete, Illinois.

Wm. Uelsman has bought August Lux clover huller. Clover seed is not good around here.

Because of sickness Tutor Bartocheck and wife will leave this week for Buffalo, N. Y.

The German school opened Tuesday with Rev. G. D. Hilpert as instructor.

Martin Uelsman will teach the Pleasant Hill school.

Glad to report Wm. Moeneche able to be up again.

Miss Anna Albrecht will teach the Head school.

FROM MACEDONIA.

John Canham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Canham, died of typhoid fever Friday and was buried at Oak Dale cemetery on the following day. His sister, Miss Jennie, is now sick. At first it was thought that she had typhoid, but she is reported better.

All had a good time at the pie supper at Mr. and Mrs. Ed Garvey's Saturday night. The proceeds, \$18.40, will go to the church.

There will be a basket dinner here Sunday, September 11, at which time Rev. Denton will preach his farewell sermon.

Miss Hannah Bles is visiting at Ansell, and Mrs. George Romine of Illmo, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, Sunday. George Everhart and Louis Davis, of Fayetteville, Ill., were here Sunday.

Mrs. Dollie Whaley and son Claude, of Illmo, were here Sunday.

School opened Monday with Arthur Schirvitz as teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Miller, of Cross Plains, were here Friday. Miss Daisy Spradlin has pneumonia.

Aaron Powers of Edna was here Sunday.

Ed Garvey was in St. Louis last week.

Miss Jennie Miller, who has been sick is improving.

Mrs. Mollie Williams has a felon on her hand.

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FROM EDNA.

Mrs. A. L. Haskins and Mrs. M. Southernland have moved to Illmo and will open a millinery store.

Berry Paynes baby was very sick last week with the measles. School will start on the first Monday in October on account of Prof. Johnson being sick.

The school board has rented the Baptist Church for their second school.

Mrs. Henry Gunter, of Chaffee, who was visiting friends here returned home Saturday.

Wm. Wall's baby is very sick. day for Memphis Tenn. to visit relatives.

The car men here have just received an increase of one to three cents per hour on their wages.

FROM CAMPBELL DISTRICT.

Charley Rauk came up the road on August 29 stepping like a blind horse. When asked what was the trouble he said, "I'm pap for the first time. It's a girl."

FROM PORTER SWITCH.

Stine Scarbraugh and Albert McLain, of Tennessee, are visiting Alex Wagoner this week.

Mrs. Jennie Hamblin and children visited at A. A. Wagoner's Saturday and Sunday.

W. J. Hamblin is in Kentucky this week looking for a location.

R. J. Burnett was at Diehlstadt Monday.

FROM LONE ROCK.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackwell, Lawrence Blackwell and Misses Cora Clay and Iona Blocker brought their dinners to Caney Creek Sunday to enjoy it.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Prindel visited relatives at Allenville, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hahn, Plus Halter and Leslie Dennis were there Sunday.

The dinner given by the Methodist church of Chaffee Thursday and one by the Baptist Sunday at the Wylie school house were well patronized.

The Misses Laura and Beatrice Howell returned from their Blodgett visit Saturday accompanied by their cousin Paul Robertson.

Geraldine Massey of Chaffee spent a few days of last week with Mabel Howell.

FROM MORLEY.

The Charleston Baptist association met with the Morley association in their annual session last Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Beulah Keesee began her school at Graysboro, Monday and Miss Josie began her school at Marshall.

Mrs. C. E. Joyce, of Ft. Smith, Arkansas is visiting O. V. Moore and other relatives here this week.

Medames Stella Elmore and Odel Wylie returned from a trip to Dawson Springs last week.

Dr. T. E. Tomlinson fell from a wagon last Tuesday and hurt his back severely.

Baxton Nations left last Tuesday for a visit to Dawson Springs.

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George Moulder of Lynn Creek has been visiting his brother, Dr. T. V. Moulder, for the past week.

Miss Johnnie McCutchen, who has been at the St. Louis hospital, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Whitmore spent Friday and Saturday with friends at Vanduser.

Mrs. Mary Gross and family moved into our little village Wednesday.

FROM SALCEDO.

The Salcedo ball team has won the last eight games of ball and say they are open for a game.

Let us hear from other teams.

Mrs. E. Carr missed two days of school this week on account of being sick.

Good attendance and harmony with the teacher makes good schools. Help, don't hinder the teacher.

Tommy Baker and Della Thomas were married last week. We extend the usual congratulations.

Earnest Carr says he had a big school for last week than was ever at Tanner school.

Miss Lillie Newton was not able to begin her school Monday.

Jno. Chadd says he has a new boy at his home.

H. L. Baker is sick this week.

The Salcedo team will play Morehouse Sunday at Salcedo.

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FROM SLAPOUT.

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Mr. and Mrs. Enman returned from Cara where they have been visiting relatives.

Chas. Vaughn is still on the parking line. He can't decide which one.

Vernon Turley, who has been sick for the past two weeks is up again.

Mr. H. It and W. M. Holden made a business trip to Cara.

Joel Bennett's folks are all on the mend now.

FROM ROOTWAD.

Uncle Ike Clois, who was hurt some weeks ago by a runaway team, is improving and will soon be out again.

Miss Lillith Allen, of Brown's Spur, visited here Sunday.

William Lindley made a business trip to Naylor, Mo.

A fine boy was born to Mr. and Gabriel Coplin last week.

Mrs. Frank Peters is quite sick.

FROM CLAYPOOL.

A. B. Williams, H. G. Alt, J. J. Lee and Louis Williams were in Arkansas last week looking for a place to locate. Louis Williams purchased a farm and will move to it soon. We are sorry to lose him.

Mrs. Thos. Bonfield and daughter, Tillie Tippy, are visiting in Illinois this week.

Miss Edith Dickerson spilled a pot of coffee on her foot causing a severe burn.

Mrs. Clyde Daugherty has returned from an extended visit in Kentucky.

An infant of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Russell was buried at Silent Hill grave yard Friday.

Miss Julia Huey, of Porter's Switch is visiting Miss Maud Shelby.

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